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The Use of NK-1 Receptor Antagonists Against Benign Prostatic Hyperplasia

the specification of which is filed herewith, attorney docket No. R0134A-REG.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims.

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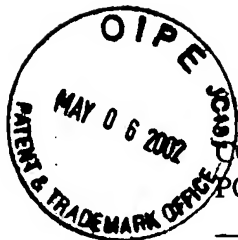
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